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☞ We warn the Public against a gang of scoundrels who are engaged in counterfeiting HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS. These villains, who subsist by pirating, have exhibited a cunning equal to their rascality by selecting this most popular STOMACH BITTERS. Dealers from whom better things might have been expected have in some instances connived at the imposition for the purpose of sharing in the plunder.

On the principle that the receiver is as culpable as the thief, and that the passer of spurious money is as criminal as the forger, the makers and venders of COUNTERFEIT HOSTETTER'S BITTERS stand on the same MORAL level. The great reputation acquired by the BITTERS as a cure for Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, and all debilitating diseases of the Stomach and Bowels, has tempted a host of sharks, who hope to profit by their celebrity.

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Agents for the Pacific Coast,
227 Montgomery street, San Francisco.

☞ Sold by LANGLEY BROS., Victoria. Je12 2m

ENCOURAGE HOME INDUSTRY.

F. FABRE & CO.

WILL Manufacture at the VICTORIA SOAP WORKS, situated at Esquimalt, for the

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Commencing on the 1st of June, 1862,

No. 1 Chemical Olive Soap;
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AT SAN FRANCISCO PRICES.

WANTED, in exchange for our Soaps, all kinds o Tallow, clean Grease, at Cash Prices.

☞ Orders respectfully solicited.

W. M. G. HALL,
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Victoria, 14th May, 1862. ju16

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IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

Groceries and Provisions

—ALSO—

Importers and Agents for the best brands of French Wines and Liquors, and receive direct shipments of Havana Cigars by every Steamer.
ju15 tf

Mr. Bernard Gilpin Lacy,

(LATE ASSIST. SURG. H.E.I.C.S.)

Surgeon and Accoucheur,

HAVING RECENTLY ARRIVED from England, begs to inform the public that he has commenced to practice in Victoria, and can be consulted at his Chambers, at the Star and Garter Hotel, Government street. ju26 1m

J. W. POWELL, M. D.,

Graduate of the University of McGill College, Montreal, C. E.,
Member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Lower Canada, Licentiate of the Medical Board, Upper Canada,

Physician, Surgeon & Accoucheur

☞ Rooms and Residence at the Anglo-American Hotel, corner of Yates and Douglas streets, Victoria, V. I. ju27 1m

Removal.

J. RUEFF,

Wholesale Grocer and Commission Merchant,

HAS REMOVED TO THE STORE FORmerly occupied by Guild, David & Co., on Wharf street, (opposite his old stand) where he will be found ready to supply old and new customers with every article in his line at the LOWEST MARKET RATES. ju7 1m

Ladies' School, Victoria, V. I.,

VISITOR--the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop, re-opens on MONDAY, the 4th of August.

For Terms, etc., apply to Mrs. WOODS, Lady Superintendent, or to Miss PENRICE, Lady Assistant. Ju29 1w

FOR SALE—TO LET.

Livery Stable Business FOR SALE.

THE PROPRIETOR HAVING URgent business calling him to England, is desirous of disposing of the Stock, Lease and Good Will of the same, on the most advantageous terms.

For further particulars apply to

W. CULVERWELL,
au4 2w Yates street.

FARM TO LET.

THE FARM OF COLWOOD, IN THE District of Esquimalt, V. I., is hereby offered for lease, for one or more years, with immediate entry, and at a moderate rent. It contains 620 acres, well situated, and of which upwards of 200 acres have been under cultivation. It has a good Dwelling House, with Garden attached, containing apple, pear, plum, and cherry trees, etc., etc., in full bearing; Servants' Cottages, and all other necessary buildings, etc. Also, water frontage and a Landing Pier on Esquimalt Harbor, affording easy access at all times by water to Victoria, from which it is distant by land about 6 miles.

Along with the Farm there will be let "on shares," if desired by the tenant,

A Flock of Sheep and an Excellent Lime Quarry,

with two good Kilns.

The premises may be viewed any day; and further particulars will be supplied at Victoria, by

DR. TOLMIE,
Or Mr. MUNRO.
Victoria, V. I., 30th July, 1862. ju31 1m

FOR SALE.

THE MANSION HOUSE, SITUATED near Harris & Co.'s Wharf. The House is large and commodious and capable of accommodating

One Hundred Boarders.

It is partly furnished, and with small expense would be ready for customers.

WILLIAM H. WOODCOCK
New Westminster, May 24, 1862.
ju26 Press copy.

To Rent.

THE FIREPROOF STORE ON WHARF street recently occupied by MARTIN BROS.

Apply to

JAMES WILCOX,
au2 tf Royal Hotel, Wharf street.

For Sale.

A COMMODIOUS DWELLING House situated on Blanchard street, with Garden well stocked with fruit trees and a well of excellent water. For particulars apply to

JOHN J COCHRANE,
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2000 GALLONS PURE SPIRITS, 40@60 proof.

2000 gallons pure alcohol. will be sold at Less price than it can be Imported into the Colony.

WILLIAM H. WOODCOCK.
New Westminster, July 16, 1862. jul8 1m

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ONE OR TWO NICELY FURNISHED Rooms may be had in a private house on Fort street, first house above Douglas street, with or without board. Terms moderate. jul6

FOR SALE

WHALE BOATS AND WHALING Gear, by

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A LOT ON BROUGHTON STREET, near Government, and opposite Gordon street, suitable for a Boarding House or Hotel, 55x94 feet, will be sold low on easy terms. Apply to

G. VEREYDHEN,
ju23 1m Cor. Fort and Douglas streets.

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W. H. OLIVER,

Importer and Wholesale Dealer in

Fine English French and American

Liquors,

CHAMPAGNES, CALIFORNIA WINES

CLARETS AND BRANDIES,

In the large and spacious Warehouse

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A large Stock of Bonded Wines and Brandies always on hand.

To Dealers purchasing in large quantities, a liberal discount will be made for cash.

Agency of 1st Premium California Wines, in packages and cases;
Agency of Old Sachem and Hostetter's Bitters;
Choice Claret Wines, in casks and cases, received direct from Bordeaux, via San Francisco, in bond;
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Choice Old Bourbon Whiskies;
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High Proof Jamaica Rum;
.. .. Scotch Whisky;
.. .. Brandy and Whiskies;
.. .. Alcohol and Spirits, in bbls. and tins;
Champagne Wines, complete stock of all the favorite brands now in use;
And a general assortment of Case Liquors, Cordials Syrups, etc.

Traders and Dealers visiting Victoria will find it to their interest to call and examine my stock before purchasing. All orders from British Columbia and towns on the Sound will meet with prompt attention.

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ja19 6mw

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THE ONLY GENUINE

Is put up in Bottles blown thus,

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Also, the name stamped on the cork. Buy no other.

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Japanese Salve.

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Cure of Poison from Poison Oak,

Mosquito Bites, Cuts, Sprains, Burns, Piles, Boils, Bruises, Corns, Chilblains, Gunshot Wounds, Sore Nipples, Nursing Sore Breasts, and in fact all kinds of Sores.

For sale by all Druggists.
REDINGTON & CO., Agents,
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je4 3m3dp Agents, for Victoria.

180 SHEEP, ex Bark Mary For sale by

JAMES S. HARRISON,
Langley street,
ju26 Corner of Bastion street.

CO-PARTNERSHIPS.

NOTICE.

THE COPARTNERSHIP BETWEEN Goldberg and Landeker, doing business at Lillooet, B. C. is this day dissolved by mutual consent L. Goldberg is authorized to collect all outstanding accounts, and will settle all claims against the late firm.

L. GOLDBERG,
J. L. LANDEKER.
Lillooet, 19th July, 1862. ju29 1m

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between M. PRAGER and THOS. H. FARRELL, in British Columbia, under the name of THOS. H. FARRELL & CO., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to to the late firm are to be paid to Thos. H. Farrell (carrying on the business), as by whom all demands against the late firm will be liquidated.

T. H. FARRELL,
M. PRAGER.
Victoria, July 22d, 1862. ju28 1m

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP EXISTING BEtweeen J. M. Morgan and M. Carothers have been amicably dissolved.

J. M. MORGAN.
M. CAROTHERS.
Antler Creek, June 15th, 1862. jul1 1m

Copartnership Notice.

MR. JOHN KRIEHLER IS THIS DAY admitted a partner in my house, and from this date the business will be conducted under the firm name of ST. OURS & CO.

F. J. DE ST. OURS.
Victoria, July 29th, 1862. ju29 1m

JAMES S. HARRISON,

LANGLEY STREET,

BEGS TO APPRISE HIS FRIENDS IN VICTOria, Traders and Packers in British Columbia, residents in Washington Territory and adjacent places, that he has commenced the

Importing and General

COMMISSION BUSINESS,

And that he is prepared to execute orders for Grain and California production of all kinds, including

Sheep, Cattle and Horses,

Besides Foreign Merchandise in Bond.

Having engaged one of the best and most experienced buyers to watch the

MARKETS OF SAN FRANCISCO,

With plenty of means at his command,

J. S H. has no hesitation in saying that he can offer inducements heretofore unknown in Victoria to parties wishing to import through him their own Goods. Charges will be on the most moderate scale and dispatch guaranteed.

HAS FOR SALE, EX RECENT ARRIVALS,

The following Goods:

Flour! Flour! Flour!

250 BARRELS Santa Rosa Superfine;
100 do do do Extra;
100 do Golden Gate;
97 do National Mills;
50 do Contra Costa.

Bacon! Bacon! Bacon!

40 CASES (16,000 lbs) Boneless Bacon;
25 hhds (22,500 lbs) do do;
15 cases (6,500 lbs) California do;
20 cases (9,000 lbs) do do.

Hams! Hams! Hams!

7 HHDS English Hams (Sinc'air's);
5 cases California Hams;
20 casks Eastern Hams.

Pork! Pork! Pork!

125 HALF Barrels Extra Family Pork;
50 half barrels Extra Clear Pork;
40 ½ do do do do;
20 barrels Mess Pork.

Beans! Beans! Beans!

100 BAGS New Red Beans;
90 bags New Pink Beans;
110 bags New White Beans;
87 bags Bayos Beans.

Cheese, Cheese, Cheese.

5 CASES Superior Lakeville Cheese;
5 cases do Huntley's do;
Fresh supply by every Steamer.

Butter, Butter, Butter.

FRESH BUTTER from the best Dairies;
Isthmus Butter;
Goshen Butter.

—ALSO—

EX SCOTLAND, MARY and OSNABRUCK

OAT MEAL, Corn Meal, Rice,
Oolong Tea, Coffee, Sugar, Lard;
Invoice of Wood and Willow Ware, Rope, etc.

500 SACKS BARLEY,
250 bags Oats; 600 sacks Bran.

Aparajos and Pack Saddles.

INVOICE OF CLOTHING;
Invoice of New Styles Dry Goods;
Long Gum Boots;
Gum Blankets.

ONE SUPERIOR PIANO;
One Melodeon (Prince's).

—ALSO—

ROAST Beef and Mutton in tins; Roast Chicken; Sardines; Fresh Tomatoes; Green Peas; Green Corn; Fresh Milk in tin; Essence of Coffee; Pickles; Sauces, Jams and Revelentia Arabica.

For sale by

JAMES S. HARRISON,
Langley street,
ju26 Corner of Bastion street.

CROCKERY,

GLASSWARE,

French China.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF ABOVE goods constantly in Store and for sale at lowest rates.

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—OF THE—

New Haven Clock Co.'s Manufacture

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For which we are

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Aparajos, Pack Saddles,

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APAREJO LEATHER.

WE HAVE ON HAND A FINE LOT of Aparejos, Pack Saddles, and Alum Dressed Leather suitable for Aparejos, of very best quality, which we offer to parties in want at the lowest prices, for cash.

A general assortment of SADDLERY GOODS.

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HIBBEN & CARSWELL'S.

☞ PRICE, 25 CENTS. jul9

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WITH POWER TO INCREASE.

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Eden Colville, Esq., Fenchurch Buildings, London.
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Alexander Mackenzie, Esq., (Director of the Oriental Bank, etc.)
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(With power to add to their number.)

London Office No. 80 Lombard street.

James Napier, Secretary and Manager.

Victoria Office,

James D. Walker, Manager.
George Cruickshank, Accountant.

The business of the Victoria branch of this Bank will commence as soon as suitable premises can be obtained

CURRENT ACCOUNTS may then be opened for any amount, and every facility will be granted to Traders and others for the transaction of business

DISCOUNTS AND ADVANCES—Approved bills will be discounted and advances made upon bills of lading (accompanied by Policies of Insurance) for goods shipped from Victoria or Great Britain to any part of the United Kingdom or the Colonies.

DRAFTS AND LETTERS OF CREDIT will be issued on Great Britain and the Colonies, also on New York and San Francisco, and bills on these places will be purchased or sent for collection.

GOVERNMENT OR OTHER SECURITIES received for safe custody, and the interest thereon collected for account of constituents.

JAMES D. WALKER, Manager.
Victoria, 28th July, 1862. ju29

ROYAL MAIL Steam Packet Company's Agency,

For British Columbia & Vancouver Island.

OFFICE, MACDONALD & CO., BANKERS,

Yates Street.

THE ATTENTION OF SHIPPERS and passengers is particularly directed to the superior facilities the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company's Line affords for the speedy conveyance of Treasure, Goods and Passengers to and from England to British Columbia and Vancouver Island, in connection with the **Pacific Mail Steamship Company's Vessels and the Panama Railroad.**

The superiority of the accommodation and entertainment on board the Royal Mail Steamers, together with the time occupied on the passage between England and Aspinwall **direct** being so much shorter than by any other route, and the moderate rate of passage money, render this Company's steamers the CHEAPEST AND MOST EXPEDITIOUS MEANS OF TRANSIT, for passengers or for the forwarding of Goods and Treasure from Aspinwall to Europe.

Under an arrangement with the PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO., Specie and Bullion can be conveyed to London and Havre in France

Further information on the subject of Freight and Passage Money will be furnished by the undersigned.

ALEX. D. MACDONALD,
jul7-1m Agent.

MACDONALD & CO.,

Yates street, Victoria, V. I.

SELL EXCHANGE drawn at sight or on time, on
Coutts & Co., London.
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DRAFTS on
San Francisco, California.
Portland, Oregon.

GOLD DUST and Bullion purchased at the highest rates.

ADVANCES MADE on gold dust left for assay at Government Assay Office, New Westminster: or if sent for assay or coinage to United States Mint, San Francisco

Collections made on reasonable terms, and a General Banking Business Transacted

Victoria, V. I., Jan 17, 1862 m20-3m

Barnard's Express!

HITHERTO RUNNING BETWEEN VICTORIA, V. I., and LYTTON, B. C., will, on and after the 7th July next, be merged into the

British Columbia & Victoria Express Co.

F. J. BARNARD.
VICTORIA, V. I., 23d June, 1862.

BRITISH COLUMBIA —AND— Victoria EXPRESS CO.

(CARRYING HER MAJESTY'S MAILS.)

THE FIRST REGULAR WEEKLY EXPRESS to Cariboo will be dispatched from Victoria July 7th, leaving Douglas and Yale on the arrival of the Steamers at those points. The Express via Douglas and Lillooet will connect at Williams Lake with the Express via Yale and Lytton: and thence to Antler City, whence carriers will be dispatched to the various mining camps.

Relying on the support of a discerning public, the undersigned have spared no expense in their arrangements, nor will any effort be wanting on their part to render this the most safe and speedy means of conveyance to and from the mines

ju24 F. J BARNARD & CO.

Schloss & Livingston,

BANKERS.

BRICK BUILDING, No. 12, Yates st., Victoria, V. I.,

WILL BUY GOLD DUST, BULLION AND EXCHANGE.

Draw Drafts on San Francisco, California.
" " " Portland, Oregon.
" " " New York City.

RECEIVE DEPOSITS AND ISSUE CERTIFICATES of deposit. Parties in the interior may remit gold dust to us direct, which we will buy or have assayed, and allow the best market price Owners can draw against proceeds or instruct us as to its disposition.

Advances made on gold dust shipped by us to the U. S. Mint at San Francisco for coinage.

BENJAMIN SCHLOSS, Victoria.
je13-6m FRANK LIVINGSTON, San Francisco.

Ballou's Express,

Connecting with Wells, Fargo & Co.'s at Victoria,

WILL ADVANCE FOR DUTIES ON GOODS passing in to British Columbia and, as usual, attend to the Custom House and Forwarding Business.

ju19 W. T. BALLOU.

WANTS.

PIANO! PIANO!

THE SUBSCRIBER TAKES OCCASION to acquaint the inhabitants of Victoria and its vicinity that he is prepared to give Instruction on the Piano. Terms moderate.

Address G. EPNER,
At Messrs. A. Hoffman & Co. Yates st., Victoria.
ju29 tf

WANTED,

A LITTLE GIRL ABOUT TWELVE years of age, to take charge of a baby.

Apply to

W. CULVERWELL,
ju22 Yates street.

$10,000 Wanted,

FOR TWO OR MORE YEARS, AT A low rate of interest, on excellent security.

Address "V," office BRITISH COLONIST.
jul7 1m

Wanted

FOR H. M. SHIPS AT ESQUIMALT, Carpenters, Stokers, A. B Seamen, Ordinary do., and Boys. For further particulars apply to

J. NAGLE & Co.
ju10 Shipping Agents.

WANTED

AT UTSALADY MILL, GAMANO ISland, W. T., Twenty or Thirty Axe-men who understand making spars and square timber.

Apply to Capt. J. Nagle, Victoria, or to the undersigned at the mill.

GRENNAN & CRANNEY.
Victoria, V. I., 11th April. 1y

CAUTION.

LETCHFORD'S WAX VESTAS.

R. LETCHFORD & CO. GUARANTEE their matches will light in any climate, even if dipped in water. Customers, therefore when ordering Wax Matches should be particular in requesting "Letchford's Make," as others are often substituted.

R. Letchford & Co. having just built an extensive Manufactory, are now prepared to execute at a few days' notice, any order made payable in England.

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Wholesale and Export Druggists,

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—In connection with—

EVANS, SONS & CO.,

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Forward Price Lists on application. Goods shipped free on board at either Port.

☞ Orders to be made payable by London or Liverpool Houses. m6 6m

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HARDWARE,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

E. C. WADDINGTON,

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(Next door to the Washington Restaurant.)

A General Assortment of the very best English and American Hardware.

Carpenters' Tools, Mining Tools,

ENGLISH TINWARE,

Brushes, Brooms, Hardware, Clocks, Etc

For sale at the very lowest rates.
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NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED IS MANUFACTURING AT HIS

DISTILLERY,

Superior Qualities of Domestic Liquors,

PURE SPIRITS,

HIGH PROOF

Alcohol, Rum, &c., &c.,

Which will be sold to the Trade at less Price than can be imported.

Orders will be promptly filled, for any quantity desired, having always on hand large quantities ready for sale WILLIAM H. WOODCOCK.
New Westminster, July 16th, 1862. ju18 1m

WM. JEFFRAY

Is now prepared to Lease on terms highly advantageous to

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THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY, SITUated in what must eventually become the centre of the Commercial operations of the Town:

5 LOTS ON STORE STREET, between Cormorant and Fisguard streets.

6 LOTS ON FISGUARD STREET, well adapted for private residences.

6 LOTS IN THE REAR OF THE ABOVE, well adapted for parties whose engagements require a residence near business.

The above property is situated near the

Best Water Frontage on the Harbor,

And where extensive improvements are about to be commenced immediately.

Plans of the Lots and other information will be afforded on application at the office, Wharf street.
ju23 tf

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AND PHYSICAL RESTORATIVE.

THE MEDICAL WONDER OF THE Age The most powerful and wonderful medicine ever discovered.

WATTS' NERVOUS ANTIDOTE.

Has cured, and will cure, more cases of Nervous disorders than any other known remedy.

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Has and will cure Nervous Headache, Giddiness, Fainting, Paralysis, Extreme Debility, Neuralgia, Chronic and Inflammatory Rheumatism, Toothache, etc.

WATTS' NERVOUS ANTIDOTE.

Is an effectual remedy for Wakefulness. Its soothing and quieting influence is remarkable.

WATTS' NERVOUS ANTIDOTE.

Will cure Delirium Tremens, Nervous Trembling, Epilepsey, Twitching of the Facial Nerves, Convulsions, and Pulmonary complaints.

WATTS' NERVOUS ANTIDOTE.

Will act upon that state of the nervous system which produces Depression of Spirits, Anxiety of Mind, Mental Debility, Hysterics, etc., and is so wonderful in rejuvenating premature old age, and correcting decrepitude brought on by excessive indulgence, that nothing but a trial can convince the patient of its qualities. It is not an excitant but a strengthener, purely vegetable and harmless; like a skillful architect begins by laying a firm foundation, and gradually but incessantly adds strength and vigor until nothing is left unfinished.

For sale by all Druggists.

Wholesale Agents, Langley Bros. and Curtis & Moore, Victoria; C. Langley, Redington & Co, Crane & Brigham and Edward Stall, San Francisco.
jul4 6m

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GOLDEN STATE IRON WORKS,

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IRON CASTINGS and MACHINERY

Of all kinds,

KNOX'S AMALGAMATORS,

Special Department for Mantel Grates, Stove Work Cauldrons, etc.,

Nos. 19 and 21 First street,
San Francisco.

N. B.—Heath & Brodie's Crushers always on hand.
je1 3m

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

A MEETING OF THE MEMBERS OF the VANCOUVER ISLAND ARTILLERY COMPANY will be held on Friday evening, August 8th, at half-past 7 o'clock, at the Union Hook and Ladder Building. All who are interested and feel desirous of becoming members, are invited to be present. au2 td

NOTICE.

THE OWNER OF SEVEN BARRELS of Currants ex "Architect," marked H. J. O., is requested to call on the undersigned, pay freight and charges, and receive the same within ten days from this date, or they will be sold to pay expenses.

ST. OURS & CO.,
Victoria, July 31, 1862. Consignees.

To Contractors.

TENDERS ARE REQUIRED FOR the construction of a Wharf on Victoria Harbor; also for the excavation and removal of about 5000 cubic yards of earth.

Plans and Specifications of the work are to be seen at the office of F. W. GREEN, C. E., on Trounce street, where tenders will be received until the 7th day of August. ju31 td

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY FORbid trusting any one on account of the steamers of the British Columbia and Vancouver Island Steam Navigation Company, unless per written order of

JOHN T. WRIGHT, JR.
ju29

NOTICE,

ALL PERSONS ARE WARNED against negotiating a note for $200 drawn by Thos. Harris in favor of Dougall & Son, dated 15th July last, and payable 30 days after date.

25th July, 1862. ju28

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO Mr. THOMAS SMITH, of Government street, Victoria, grocer, are requested to pay the amount of their several debts forthwith to the undersigned, or proceedings at law will be instituted for the recovery thereof.

ROBERT BISHOP,
Attorney at Law.
24th July, 1862. ju28

NOTICE.

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THE Supreme Court of Civil Justice, made in a cause of Moses Sporborg and others against Gustave Sutro. The creditors of Leon Leopold Yale, late of Victoria and British Columbia, who died in the month of June last, are by their Solicitors, on or before the 6th day of August next, to come in and prove their debts or claims at the Registrar's office James Bay, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order.

Friday, the eighth day of August, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for the hearing and adjudicating on the said claims. Dated, this 26th day of July, 1862.

THOMAS G. WILLIAMS,
ju28 Registrar.

NOTICE.

TO CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE REQUIRED UNTIL MONDAY, the 4th day of August, for the Erection of a Brick Hotel, on Government street. Separate tenders will be received for the following Trades:

Mason and Brick Work;
Carpenter and Joiner's Work;
Plasterer's Work;
Tinsmith and Plumber's Work;
Painting and Glazier's Work.

The Plans and Specifications may be seen at the Office of the undersigned.

The lowest Tender will be accepted if otherwise satisfactory.

WRIGHT & SANDERS,
Architects.
ju24 Corner of Yates and Langley streets.

NOTICE.

Victoria Gas Company Limited.

PARTIES REQUIRING TO BE SUPPLIED with Gas will please call and leave their names without delay at the Company's office, corner of Yates and Langley streets, so that proper arrangements may be made while the street Mains are being laid.

J. J. SOUTHGATE,
ju21 Chairman.

Robbery---$250 Reward.

A TIN BOX, CONTAINING PAPERS, Bank Notes, and Cash, was abstracted from my premises on Saturday last, by some unknown party. The papers were of no value save to the undersigned; the notes were on the bank of British North America, and amounted to between $1,200 and $1,400, and the cash was in gold and silver, and amounted to about $250. Precautions have been taken to stop the payment of the notes. $200 reward will be paid for the recovery of the notes, and $50 reward for the recovery of the papers.

L. LOEWENBERG.
Victoria, July 21, 1862. ju21

$50 Reward.

THE SPAR INTENDED FOR THE Signal-staff on Beacon Hill having broken adrift from its moorings at Ogden Point, the above reward will be given to any person who will return it to the same place, or half the amount to any one who will give information where it may be found and safely secure it till called for.

Per order.

J. T. PIDWELL,
Victoria, 17th June, 1862. Sec V. I. E. C. ju18

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS on the Estate of THOMAS HAM, formerly of the Town of Cornish, State of Maine, but late of Government street, Victoria, V I., (deceased) are requested to send in particulars of such accounts, either to the Executor, Lewis Davis, of the Star & Garter Hotel, Government street, or to his Solicitor, Robert Bishop; and all persons indebted to the said Estate are desired forthwith to pay the amounts of their respective debts to the said Lewis Davis, or his said Solicitor.

Dated 16th July, 1862. jul7 1m

NOTICE.

The Lytton and Cariboo Road.

ALL PERSONS DESIROUS OF OBtaining work on the Wagon Road now in course of construction from Lytton, on the Fraser, to Lake La Hache, can learn all necessary particulars by applying to

WALTON & BARNETT,
General Agents,
jul 2m Cor. of Yates and Commercial sts.

A Reward of $25

IS HEREBY OFFERED FOR THE production and delivery to the undersigned of the original Deed of Conveyance from the Hudson's Bay Company to Pandelles Maviederos, of Town Lot No. 393, dated in or about the month of July 1858, and which Deed is now required for the purpose of Registration.

ROBERT BISHOP,
je26 3m Solicitor, Government st., Victoria.

Reward of $25.

WHEREAS THE ORIGINAL DEED of Conveyance from the Hudson's Bay Company to Pandelle Maviederos of Town Lot No. 393, dated in the month of July, 1858, has been lost, I, Edward Langley, of Victoria, give notice that I will pay the above reward to any person who will forthwith hand me over the above Deed for the purpose of Registration.

Johnson street Town Lot 393. m7 3m

Notice to the Public.

SAINSEVAIN'S WINE BITTERS; OR California Vermouth.---These Bitters are obtaining a wide-spread celebrity in all parts of the State. It is sufficient evidence of their great merit to observe the large quantities shipped by our principal Wine Merchants to every part of the country

Sainsevain, however, like all other manufacturers of new and valuable articles, has to contend with unscrupulous parties, who are introducing a spurious mixture purporting to be his Wine Bitters, which noxious compounds are put up in the same style of bottles, labels, etc., so as to pass for the Sainsevain brand. We call attention to this fact so that our citizens may be upon their guard, and that when they ask for Sainsevain's Bitters, see that they get them. As pure Wine is destined to drive from use all alcoholic decoctions, so these Bitters will soon take the place of the adulterated preparations which now flood our market Those desiring a pure and agreeable tonic should try Sainsevain's Wine Bitters or California Vermouth.

We have appointed W. H. OLIVER, of Victoria, V. I., to be our Sole Agent for the British Possessions.

SAINSEVAIN BROS.,
je21 3m San Francisco, Cal.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Wednesday Morning, August 6, 1862.

TO ADVERTISERS.

All advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued unti ordered out, and so charged.

JOB PRINTING.

☞ Book and Job Printing of every description neatly executed. Terms, cash on delivery of the work.

WANTED.

A gentleman qualified by Colonial experience to act as Assistant Editor on this paper. A permanent engagement may be made.

Incorporation.

The Act for the Incorporation of the Town of Victoria having at length become law—some four years after every one, except the Government, first felt the immediate necessity of the measure—the townspeople should give their best attention towards securing good men to fill the position of Mayor and Councillors.

There will be six Councillors and a Mayor, composing a body more than half the Legislative Assembly in number, and more than their equal, we trust, in competency, independence and honesty. If this do not turn out to be the case we shall only say that Municipal institutions, like the Colonial Parliament in Vancouver Island, are little better than a "mockery, a delusion and a snare."

The past history of the Assembly may well, indeed, warn every voter to reflect seriously and act honestly in giving his vote. If that body will not discharge their duties let us at least have a Corporation that will make itself respected.

Mr. Harris, we understand, will resign his seat for Esquimalt to enable him to stand for the office of Mayor. During the time he has held his seat his constituency have certainly had no cause to complain of him. Indeed our only regret in his election would be that the Legislature would thereby lose what it can ill afford—one of its very few independent members.

It is scarcely our business to urge the claims of particular gentlemen. In this small community men's characters are pretty well known, but it may not be amiss to suggest to our readers what will be required at the hands of our Corporation.

The first thing to be done is to take steps for cleansing the town and making the streets passable in bad weather; further, measures which have been long and shamefully neglected, such as the storage of gunpowder, sanitary regulations, the building of wooden houses of a limited size in certain localities, and the introduction of water will require immediate attention.

Considerable taxes must be imposed to effect these improvements. This we believe the inhabitants will cheerfully submit to; all they will require will be that the money should be honestly and judiciously applied. Let our MUNICIPALITY at least be free from the vice of embezzlement and corruption which seem to have become almost chronic in certain other quarters and have well nigh exhausted our patience.

The men most likely to carry out these objects faithfully are property holders, though of course all classes should be as much as possible represented. Indeed we regret that for this purpose the Act did not make the number of Councillors more than six—a number smaller and therefore we may presume thought to be more manageable by the Powers that be than even the famous thirteen that constitute the Legislative Assembly.

Whoever are appointed will have their work cut out for them; their duties will be not merely to provide for the future but to perform much that should have been done years ago, and would have been done but for the inexcusable delay to Incorporate.

British Columbia and Vancouver Island in the House of Commons.

In the House of Commons on June 13th, upon the vote of £9000 for British Columbia and £55,000 for Vancouver Island, the following proceedings, according to the London *Standard*, took place:

Upon the vote of £9000 for British Columbia, Mr. Baxter asked whether the colony had ever made any payment on account of the expenses of the Royal Engineers employed there? Mr. C. Fortescue replied that a considerable amount had been paid. The vote was agreed to.

Upon the vote of £55,000 for Vancouver Island, Mr. A. Mills asked for an explanation in reference to the vote? Mr. C. Fortescue said that the vote was one which could appear in the estimates only upon the present occasion; but under the grant to the Hudson Bay Company the Crown could not without this money being paid become legally possessed of the island. The grant provided that the Crown should resume possession only upon payment to the Company of the actual amount which they had expended upon the island, and for emigration thereto. They had agreed upon the amount to be paid, otherwise they must have been involved in vexatious and tedious litigation. Mr. Adderley thought it desirable that they should know what the country was to have for this £55,000; and also whether there was any similar arrangement in reference to the mainland? Mr. C. Fortescue repeated that the government were bound to pay the money under the terms of the Company's charter. Mr. Adderley inquired whether the Company had any claim upon the mainland, and also whether the government would furnish a statement of account as to this £55,000, showing what it had been paid for? Mr. Childers was afraid that the committee could take no other course than grant the money, although it would have been better if they had had some explanation in reference to the items. The Company by their charter were entitled to be paid, not simply the value of the things existing on the island, but the actual money which they had expended. Mr. C. Fortescue again referred to the Company's charter, and said that the amount of the vote represented the value of what was handed over to the government and the amount expended in conveying settlers from this country. Mr. A. Mills wished to know if the whole affair was now wound up? and he also expressed his opinion that it was objectionable that they should have to vote money for carrying out emigrants of whom he thought there must be very few. Mr. C. Fortescue said there were a considerable number of emigrants; and he also promised a detailed account in reference to the vote. Mr. Childers asked whether any conclusion had been come to as to separating the government of Vancouver Island and that of British Columbia? Mr. C. Fortescue could not give any positive information at present; but he could say that the subject was under consideration. Mr. Pease inquired whether any inducement in the shape or land or minerals was held out to emigrants? Mr. C. Fortescue said that the land laws of British Columbia and Vancouver Island were of a liberal character, and land could be had at 4s 2d per acre. He confidently expected that this was a final vote, but there might be still a small difference between the government and the Company. The government had offered the Hudson Bay Company £55,000, and he thought there was very little doubt but that they would accept it. Mr. Adderley wished to know whether the Hudson Bay Company would still exist as a company as far as this territory was concerned? Mr. C. Fortescue said the question under consideration would in no way affect the charter of the Hudson Bay Company. It would still have a standing in all the regions west of the Rocky Mountains. After a few observations from Mr. Bouverie, the vote was agreed to.

Marriage and Celibacy.

Some months ago, a letter, either real or fictitious, was published in the London *Times*, purporting to emanate from matrons of the fashionable end of London, complaining of the increasing difficulty of securing "establishments" for their daughters, and alleging, as a reason therefore that the young men of the present generation, instead of entering into the honorable, but sometimes perilous state of matrimony, contract disreputable intimacies with "pretty horse-breakers" (slang for mistresses.) A writer in the *Cornhill Magazine* (Thackeray it is believed) took up the cudgels for the young men, and while acknowledging the premises, that it is more difficult for match-making mammas to carry their point now than formerly, argues that it is not because young men are more immoral than heretofore, but because they have higher views of life, and that to acquire success in the many fields of life which modern activity has opened up, it is necessary to sacrifice domestic happiness, and independence, to be free from the many cares married life imposes, in order to reach that eminence to which every aspiring professional man hopes to attain. A writer in *Frazer's Magazine* takes up the quarrel, and is decidedly in the interest of the ladies. And we first quote his opinion as to the lessening terrors to females of unmarried life:

In the first place, till lately the condition of an unmarried woman of the upper classes was so shackled by social prejudices that it was inevitably a dreary and monotonous one. Mostly, the "old maid" lived in a small house or lodging, out of which she rarely dared to sally on any journey, and where, with a few female friends as closely limited as herself, she divided her life, as the Frenchman has it, between "*la medisance, le jeu et la devotion.*" A society of these unhappy ones was not inappropriately nicknamed by a witty nobleman "the Bottled Wasps."

The 'old maid' of 1861 is an exceedingly cheery personage, running about untrammelled by husband or children; now visiting at her relatives' country houses, now taking her month in town, now off to a favorite *pension* on Lake Geneva, now scaling Vesuvius or the Pyramids. And what is better, she has found, not only freedom of locomotion, but a sphere of action peculiarly congenial to her nature. "My life, and what shall I do with it?" is a problem to which she finds the happiest solution ready to her hand in schools and hospitals without number. No longer does the Church of Rome monopolize the truth, that on a woman who has no husband, parent, or child, every sick and suffering man, every aged childless woman, every desolate orphan, has a claim. She has not fewer duties than other women, only more diffused ones. The 'old maid's' life may be as rich, as blessed, as that of the proudest of mothers with her crown of clustering babes.

And further, if a woman have but strength to make up her mind to a single life, she is enabled by nature to be far more independently happy therein than a man in the same position. A man, be he rich or poor, who returns at night to a home adorned by no woman's presence and domestic cares, is at best dreary and uncomfortable. But a woman makes her home for herself and surrounds herself with an atmosphere of taste and the little details of housewifely comforts.

Nor does the "old maid" contemplate a solitary age as the bachelor must usually do. It will go hard, but she will find a *woman* ready to share it. And more!—(but it is a theme we may not treat of here). She thinks to *die*, if without having given or shared some of the highest joys of human nature, yet at least without having caused one fellow being to regret she was born to tempt to sin and shame. We ask it in all solemn sadness—Do the *men* who resolve on an unmarried life, fixedly purpose also so to die with as spotless a conscience?

And on the other hand, while the utility, freedom, and happiness of a single woman's life have become greater, the knowledge of the risks of an unhappy marriage (if not the risks themselves) has become more public. The Divorce Court, in righting the most appalling wrongs to which the members of a civilized community could be subjected, has revealed secrets which must tend to modify immensely our ideas of English domestic felicity. Well it is that these hideous revelations should take place, for, as Carlyle says, 'To nothing but error can any truth be dangerous,' and the fatal error of hasty marriage is constantly due to ignorance of the possibilities of some forms of offence among the apparently respectable classes of society. It has always been vaguely known, indeed, that both husbands and wives sometimes broke their most solemn vows and fell into sin; but it was reserved for the new law to show how many hundreds of such tragedies underlie the outwardly decorous lives—not only of the long-blamed aristocracy, but of the middle ranks in England. But beside that most grievous wrong, who imagined that the wives of English *gentlemen* might be called on to endure from their husbands the violence and cruelty we are accustomed to picture exercised only in the lowest lanes and courts of our cities, where drunken ruffians, stumbling home from the gin palace, assail the miserable partners of their vices with curses, kicks, and blows? Who could have imagined it possible, that well-born and well-educated men in honorable professions, should be guilty of the same brutality? Imagine a handsomely-furnished drawing-room, with its books, and flowers, and lights, and all the refinements of civilized life, for the scene of similar outrages. Imagine the offender a well-dressed gentleman, tall and powerful as English gentlemen are wont to be; the victim shrinking from his blows—a gentle high-bred English *lady!* Good God! does not the picture make every true man set his teeth and clench his hand?

Now these things are so. The Divorce Court has brought dozens of them to light; and we all know well that for one wife who will seek public redress for her wrongs, there are always ten who for their children's sakes will bear their martyrdoms in silence. True martyrs they are—the sorest tried, perhaps, of any in the world—God help and comfort them! But single women can surely hardly forget these things, or fail to hesitate to try a lottery in which there may be one chance in a thousand of such a destiny. Thus, then, on the man's side, we have got arrayed against marriage all the arguments we have heard so often—economy, independence, freedom of risk of an uncongenial, a bad tempered, a sickly, or an unfaithful wife; and, lastly, this new principle, that to pursue his calling disinterestedly, he must be untrammelled by ties of a dependent family. And on the woman's side we have got a no less formidable range of objections; the certainty now offered to her of being able to make for herself a free, useful, and happy life alone; and the demonstrated danger of being inexpressibly miserable should she choose either an unfaithful or a cruel husband.

The conclusion seems inevitable, and marriage will become more and more rare, in spite of all Belgravian or other mothers can do. Instead of all young men intending at some time or other to marry, and all young women looking forward to be wives, we shall find many of them both resolving on a celibate life.

But the tide must turn at last. Marriage was manifestly the Creator's plan for humanity, and therefore we cannot doubt that it will eventually become the rule of all men and woman's lives. When that time arrives both sexes will have learned weighty lessons. The Englishmen of the twentieth century will abandon those claims of martial authority whose residue he still inherits from days of Western barbarism when might made right, and from lands of Eastern sensuality, where woman is first the slave of her own weakness, and then inevitably the slave of man. And abandoning his authority (save such as real wisdom and power of nature must ever secure,) man will also abandon that direful license of which we hear so much—the license to be less pure and faithful than a woman while escaping the same penalty of disgrace. Then will the husband bring to his wife feelings as fresh as those which now are too often her contribution alone to their joint happiness.

And the Englishwoman of the twentieth century will, on her part, learn to rise above her present pitiful ambitions of social advancement and petty personal vanity—the thousand childish foibles in which she now thinks it her right to indulge. She will be ready to cope with poverty, and encourage her husband cheerfully to bear it for life, rather than sully the noblest of his aspirations. She will learn that no longer must morality be devided between them; Truth and Courage for him, and Charity and Patience for her; but that she, too, must be true as an honorable man is true, and brave in her own sphere of duty as he is brave in his, if she would exchange his half contemptuous gallantry for genuine respect.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Central School Notice.

THE CENTRAL SCHOOL WILL RE-open on MONDAY NEXT, the 11th August.

J. JESSOP, Principal.

au6 td

For Sale.

TWO LARGE, WELL FINISHED WAGONS, suitable for Town or Country, will be sold cheap on application to

R. BRODRICK, Union Wharf

au6 10t

Billiard Tables.

2 PHELAN & HUGHES', SAN FRANcisco made, best Wood Bed, BILLIARD TABLES, complete, now in store, and for sale at a bargain.

P. M. BACKUS.

au6 1w

To the Electors of the City of Victoria.

GENTLEMEN:—I beg to offer myself a candidate for Councillor of Yates street Ward.

I have been known to you since 1858, and my sentiments are well understood. If elected I shall do my duty irrespective of clique or party.

Inviting your support at the coming election, I have the honor to be

Your most obedient servant,

JOHN COPLAND.

au6

Lost,

YESTERDAY, WHILE WALKING along Government street to Fort, thence to Blanchard, thence along Broughton street toward the Grave Yard, a Gold BREAST PIN. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the above at the GIPSEY HOUSE, near the Colonial Hotel, Government street.

au6 1w

To the Electors

—OF THE—

City of Victoria.

FELLOW CITIZENS:—I beg to offer myself to you for the office of Councillor under the Incorporation Act.

A Pioneer resident, of thorough business habits, and my interests being fully identified with those of the City, no exertion on my part shall be spared to bring forward and support such laws and ordinances as will most conduce to the welfare and prosperity of our infant City.

Very obediently,

WM B. SMITH.

Government street, August 5th, 1862. au6

MRS. JEFFRAY

HAS RECEIVED,

Per Late Arrivals from England, via San Francisco, and has for Sale:

A LARGE QUANTITY OF WHITE Marsella and French

Counterpanes,

A great bargain;

LARGE MUSLIN CURTAINS,

for Windows;

French Table Cloths and Dinner Napkins;

Worsted Table Covers, Tapestry,

Brussels and Kidderminster Carpets,

and every variety of

Household Furnishing Goods;

Hoyle's yard-wide Printed Calicoes, a splendid selection;

FANCY CLOAKS, in all colors and materials;

Ladies' Llama, Mohair, Barege, Muslin and Silk Dresses;

Paisley, Lyons and Cashmere SHAWLS;

MILLINERY—A large assortment.

LADIES' UNDER CLOTHING.

—ALSO—

A Magnificent choice of very chaste double Electro Plated Spirit and Liqueur Stands and Egg Cup Frames, all of which she will sell at a cheap rate.

Government street, August 6. au6 1m

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A. P. EVERETT,

Auctioneer and Commission Merchant,

WHARF STREET, FOOT OF YATES.

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AUCTION.

THIS DAY,

Wednesday, August 6th, 1862,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

A. P. EVERETT

WILL SELL

AT HIS SALESROOM,

WHARF STREET, FOOT OF YATES,

GROCERIES, &C.,

Bacon, Lard, Lobsters, Oysters,

Corn Starch, Biscuit, Cheese,

Wrapping Paper, Pickles, Salad Oil,

Soap, Pie Fruits,

Boxes Raisins, Painted Pails,

Cedar Pails, Clothes Pins, &c., &c.

Bbls Mess Pork, kegs Pickles.

—ALSO—

Pants, Undershirts and Drawers,

White Shirts, Stockings, &c.

—ALSO—

Cases Champagne, pints and quarts;

Cases Brandy, 1 doz. each.

JEWELRY,

And Sundries.

au6

Dancing Academy.

MRS. NUNN TAKES PLEASURE IN informing the citizens of Victoria and its vicinity that she will open a Dancing Academy in Moore's Hall, on Wednesday, May 15th, and solicits the favor of pupils. Parents who may wish their children to receive instruction in dancing may feel assured that every attention will be given to secure their entire proficiency.

TERMS OF TUITION—$4 per month, each, for two pupils from one family, and $5 per month for a single pupil.

There will be eight lessons every month, given on Wednesdays and Saturdays, from 3 P. M. to 6 P. M.

au6

To the Electors of the Town of Victoria:

GENTLEMEN,—The Act for the Incorporation of the Town of Victoria having been signed by His Excellency the Governor, has now become the law of the Island. Therefore I beg to offer myself to your notice as a candidate for the Mayoralty of the City. My claims upon your suffrages are simply these: That I have been a resident of Victoria for nearly five years, and during that time have, in my own belief, received your greatest confidence and was thought qualified as a man by the Independent Electors of the Town of Esquimalt to represent them in the House of Assembly of Vancouver Island and to those gentlemen I shall always feel grateful. Still I have a duty to perform for the town of Victoria, and can only say, that for my ability to fill the place I now ask my fellow citizens to place me. I can only refer them to my course in the House of Assembly since being a member of that body, and, if after being well weighed, you feel confident that I am worthy of that trust, I can only say that I promise on the word of a man, to the best of my ability, to fulfil my obligations to not only the town of Victoria, but the colony at large.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

THOMAS HARRIS.

Victoria, August 4th, 1862. au5

UNION SOAPWORKS,

STEILACOOM, W. T.,

Meeker & Co.

Manufactured and constantly on hand and for sale,

CHEMICAL OLIVE SOAP,

NO. 1 FAMILY PALE SOAP,

And varieties of

TOILET SOAP.

In any quantity, and at prices below the cost of the same articles when imported.

SPORBORG & GOLDSTONE.

Sole Agents for Victoria, V.I.

au4 1m

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED IS PREPARED TO contract for

Forwarding Merchandise

.... TO .....

LILLOOET,

And will guarantee in all cases that there shall be no unnecessary delay.

WILLIAM H. WOODCOCK.

New Westminster, July 3, 1862. au5 1m

UNDERTAKING.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING A COMPLETE Stock on hand, is now prepared to execute any order therewith, on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

The Trade Supplied.

K. LEWIS,

Corner of Government and Broughton streets,

au3 tf Victoria.

H. O. TIEDEMANN,

Civil Engineer and Architect,

Having left the Land Office, is now prepared to make

Surveys in Town and Country.

Also, Plans of Buildings, etc., etc., on the shortes notice. Address for the present.

OFFICE OF L. LOWENBERG

au4 Government street.

WRIGHT & SANDERS,

ARCHITECTS,

Office—CORNER YATES AND LANGLEY STS.,

Victoria, V. I. au3

BILLIARD CLOTH.

A FINE LOT JUST RECEIVED, AND for sale by

A. HOFFMAN,

Dry Goods Dealer,

jul6 1m Cor. Government and Yates street

NOTICE.

ANY PERSONS WISHING TO ENGAGE in one of the most profitable business operations in British Columbia requiring a capital of about six thousand dollars, can have an opportunity by making immediate application for particulars, &c., to

au2 1w2dp J. A. McCREA.

ROYAL HOTEL TAP.

MR. WILCOX HAS RE-OPENED the above Tap on Johnston Street, under the management of an experienced bar-keeper.

FRESH OYSTERS

Will be served up when in Season.

au1 1m* August 1st, 1862.

7 HARES, ex Bark Mary.

Will be sold cheap if applied for soon.

JAMES S. HARRISON,

Langley street,

Jn26 Corner of Bastion street.

MISCELLANEOUS

San Francisco Importation Stopped.

DOUGALL & SON,

Caledonia Iron Works, Indian Reserve.

GRATEFUL TO OUR NUMEROUS friends for their liberal patronage, and determined to keep labor in the Colony, we are constantly making additions to our extensive works in patterns and machinery with a powerful steam hammer, steam shearing engine, and punching engine, along with three self-acting lathes, and one large, iron planing machine, which are the very best machines on the Pacific coast, manufactured by Whitworth, of Manchester. These powerful machines enable us to execute the largest machine, smith and boiler work that is required in these Colonies.

We are the only manufacturers of

Cameron's Improved Turban Water-Wheel,

Which is the best ever constructed, comprising cheapness with compactness and durability. We attach them to Muley and Circular Saw-mills. A ten-horse power mill can be packed to any part of the mines. The largest piece not exceeding 100 pounds weight.

A continuance of public patronage is respectfully solicited.

ju28 DOUGALL & SON.

Collegiate School for Boys,

VICTORIA, V. I.

VISITOR—The Right Reverend the Lord Bishop.

PRINCIPAL—The Rev. Charles T. Woods, M. A., T. C. D. and Oxon.

SECOND MASTER—Robert Williams, M. A., Cantab. (Wrangler and Member of the Senate of the University of Cambridge)

Course of Instruction.

The Greek and Latin Classics, Mathematics, Arithmetic, Geometry, Algebra, Trigonometry,

The English course comprises Geography, History, Book-keeping, Astronomy, Natural Philosophy, &c.

Modern Languages—French and Spanish.

The Collegiate School is conducted on the principles of the old established English Grammar Schools, a Religious Education being the recognized basis of all instruction.

TERMS.

Under 12 years of age.....$5 per month

Under 16 years of age.....$6 per month

Over 16 years of age.....$8 per month

No Extras. Fees payable in advance. ju29 1m

Notice to Owners of Real Estate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Real Estate Assessment Roll for Victoria Town was finally passed by the Revisors on the 16th instant; and that the amounts so assessed are now payable into the treasury.

ALEXANDER WATSON, Treasurer.

Treasury, V. I., 28th July, 1862. ju29 tf

THE WORLD'S FRIEND!

Holloway's Ointment.

A Cure for Piles and Fistulas.

Inflammation of sensitive parts, piles, fistulas, and such like painful diseases may be presently relieved, and ultimately cured, by the proper and diligent use of this cooling and healing Ointment, whose action should, in such cases, be assisted by judicious doses of Pills: ere many days have elapsed the anxious patient will experience a wonderful degree of ease from this treatment. They are equally suitable to both sexes, and all ages.

Coughs, Colds, and Asthma.

These complaints of the chest come on with alarming frequency. The Ointment should assiduously be rubbed at least twice a day on the chest and between the shoulders, when the violence of all symptoms will gradually give way, the breathing become longer, and the oppression less. No medicines are more efficient in chest complaints, none can be used with equal safety and certainty. Both Pills and Ointment are accompanied by very clear and simple directions for using them.

A Man who refused to have his Leg off.

"*From the Kilrush Advertiser, June 2nd,* 1860."

BENJAMIN COX, Esquire, Magistrate, said in the Board Room at Kilrush, that he knew a man who had been in the Infirmary and was actually turned out as incurable, on his way home to Kilrush, he purchased at Ennis, Holloway's Pills and Ointment, for, as he said, it could not be worse with him. This man, said Mr. Cox, became by their use as sound and as healthy as any man in the room. These celebrated Pills and Ointment will cure any wound, sore, or ulcer, however long standing, if properly used according to the printed directions.

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The essence of these diseases lie in the blood, which has, floating through each vessel, the pain-giving poison, which irritates and inflames every tissue it comes in contact with, and produces the hot, swollen, elastic enlargement about the joints so characteristic of gouty diseases. The philosophy of cure consists in overcoming this depravity in the blood, which is rapidly purified by the use of the Pills The Ointment, when rubbed upon the skin, penetrates the system through the pores, acts in unison with the Pills, and soon effects a cure.

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COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 30th July, 1862.

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The sections on which instalments are due on the 11th day of August, 1862, will be absolutely forfeited on that day.

Each purchaser, however, may, within 14 days from the 1st of August, 1862, select a number of acres equivalent at £1 per acre to the amount paid by him to the Land Office, and state in writing addressed to the Surveyor General the section or sections selected by him within the said 14 days. The sections so selected shall be conveyed to the purchaser on his releasing all claims against the remaining sections

Any purchaser who has not completed his selection and notified the Surveyor General thereof in due form prescribed by this notice, shall in lieu of land selected be entitled to a land warrant entitling him to a grant of land in any part of Vancouver Island of the extent paid for by his hitherto paid up instalments, at the ratio of £1 per acre, such land to be selected from any Crown land unsold, unpre-empted and unreserved at the time of application for the same.

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In the event of any purchaser having paid any money for his instalments beyond the amount necessary to cover the land selected by him, and being unwilling to purchase the residue of any section in manner aforesaid, he shall be entitled to a land warrant to the extent of the unapplied money.

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JOHN A. WOLF.

Victoria, June 13, 1862.

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THE BRITISH COLONIST

Wednesday Morning, August 6, 1862

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

MONDAY, August 4th, 1862.

Present — Speaker Helmcken, Attorney General Cary, Messrs. Franklin, Harris, Burnaby, Trimble.

A message was received from Governor Douglas announcing that the Incorporation Bill had received his assent.

The Bill amending the Game Act was read for the second-time.

Mr. Franklin urged the necessity of its adoption. The small birds were most useful, and their indiscriminate destruction ought certainly to be prohibited. Caterpillars were making ravages in all the gardens and destroying farm produce.

Seconded by Mr. Burnaby.

Mr. Harris likewise spoke in favor of the Bill, and it passed to committee.

The Burnside Road Act was finally passed.

The proclamation of Governor Douglas offering a premium of £1000 for the discovery of a paying gold mine in Vancouver Island was read, upon the Speaker's leaving the chair, by Mr. Franklin.

This proclamation gave rise to a somewhat exciting discussion.

Mr. Burnaby spoke in praise of the movement on the part of His Excellency, as being a move in the right direction and one calculated to open up the resources of the country. He stated, however, that he thought that the time of two months allowed between the discovery of the mine and its being made to pay was far too short, and he proposed that two should be altered to the words "six months."

Mr. Harris seconded the proposition made by Mr. Burnaby, and was supported by Mr. Franklin.

Mr. Cary, rising, explained that it would be a very poor gold field if it did not pay $50,000 in two months; that if such was the case the mine would not be worth working.

Mr. Harris rose and delivered in a somewhat excited manner a long oration. This matter should not have been brought forward now, said the honorable member, "but I urge that it should have been brought forward two, or even three years ago. What man, may I ask, will run the chance of discovering a mine when he will only have eight weeks in which to avail himself of such a discovery. Cariboo was not discovered in eight weeks. What is eight weeks? The man cannot be found who will risk his life and leave his wife in Victoria, to prospect for the impossible chance of getting £1000.

The Speaker said that he thought it would have been well if the number of persons taking up claims and the time stipulated had been altogether omitted.

Mr. Cary, in an excited manner—I don't care a snap whether it is two months or six months. I urge that two weeks, even, is quite long enough. The stipulation is calculated to prevent a bogus rush on the part of mining speculators taking up bogus claims to the north of Vancouver Island.

Mr. Burnaby read out a motion to the effect that the House would beg to suggest, that the time laid down be extended to six months, to which Mr. Cary was understood to offer some objection.

Mr. Harris—Why, sir, is this matter brought before the House, if the House have nothing to say to it?

Mr. Speaker—"For advice."

Mr. Cary—I regret that the Hon. gentleman does not keep his ears open.

The answer was then adopted.

Attorney General Cary explained the Loan Acts, giving notice that he should have some propositions to make when the bill went into committee relative to the best mode of borrowing large and small loans.

Mr. Harris—I understand that Mr. Donald Fraser, of Victoria notoriety, has gone to London for the express purpose of negotiating a loan.

Mr. Cary—I cannot most certainly allow such false rumors to be made, or to go uncorrected. I only wish that Mr. Fraser was the party employed. Nobody could manage the thing better.

The Speaker opposed the bill. Victoria was over-taxed already. Mr. Franklin spoke to the same effect, and gave notice that he would refer at some future period to the distribution of the Harbor Fund. The free port system was endangered.

Mr. Burnaby stated that the House had altogether departed from the principles of the bill. He had great pleasure in seconding it.

The Speaker said it was well known that the country was insolvent at the very moment.

Mr. Harris spoke in favor of the bill. He thought that £80,000 was wanted. It was the duty of the House to borrow, paying was another matter, and must be left to another generation.

The Speaker—The income of this year will not meet the liabilities, and you will have to pay the interest on the loan into the bargain.

Mr. Cary urged that the money required must be forthcoming. It was wanted to improve the harbor, and to complete the Esquimalt road.

Mr. Harris (enthusiastically)—I am exceedingly happy to hear that the Esquimalt road is to be finished at last.

Mr. Franklin said that such public works would give employment to surplus labor, while it employed also surplus capital. (Hear.)

Mr. Cary reproved the Hon. Member for Esquimalt, not for having private opinions, but for making them public in the House in the remarks which he had just made. (Hear, hear.) The bill then passed.

Adjourned till Tuesday, at 3 o'clock p. m.

TUESDAY, August 5.

House met at 3½ o'clock. Present—Speaker Helmcken, and Messrs. Trimble, Harris, Cary, Franklin, Burnaby.

A message was received from His Excellency the Governor announcing his assent to the Burnside Road Bill.

Mr. Burnaby, from the Special Committee on the Minutes of the last year, reported that the Clerk of the House had neglected his duty. Report accepted and sent to the Governor.

The reward of £1000 for the discovery of a gold field was read a second time.

The new Loan Bill for £15,000 and £40-000, were read a first time.

STAMP ACT.

House in Committee on the Stamp Act, Mr. Burnaby in the Chair.

One or two important clauses were read and passed.

Mr. Harris moved that the "law shall come into force within twelve months after the issuance of an advertisement that the stamps were ready, instead of in fourteen days after such publication."

Mr. Franklin seconded, but was convinced that the motion was hopeless.

The motion was lost, Harris and Franklin only in the affirmative.

The schedule was considered. On motion of Mr. Cary the clause requiring stamps on drafts or orders for the payment of any sum of money, and on letters of credit, were stricken out.

The next clause calling for stamps on "receipts or discharge given for or on the payment of money amounting to £2 or upwards one penny" farthing, was considered.

Mr. Cary proposed that the amount be altered to read £5, and that the stamp be of the value of two-pence half-penny.

Mr. Franklin put in a plea in behalf of the outside districts, and feared that the passage of the bill requiring stamps on receipts would cause much loss to farmers and ignorant persons generally. This clause he deemed the most obnoxious one in the whole bill, and he hoped that it might not pass. If the Attorney General would but consent to withdraw it, he (Mr. F.) would cease further opposition to the bill.

Mr. Cary—Oh! thank you.

Mr. Harris seconded Mr. Franklin's motion, and Mr. Trimble declared that he would vote the same way except some provision were made to protect outside parties.

Mr. Cary called attention to a clause in which it was stated that if stamps were not procurable, that twelve months would be allowed the parties to visit the Treasurer and obtain them, if the Treasurer was satisfied that its absence was not the fault of the party so applying. The holder of the receipt, and not the giver, was responsible in case they were not stamped. Mr. Cary animadverted upon the present system of taxation, and declared it to be the most arbitrary and unjust system that he had ever known. One class of people were taxed heavily, he said, while others escaped entirely.

Mr. Harris prophecied nothing but ruinous results if the clause passed; and Mr. Cary for the other side threatened to leave the House if the clause was stricken out.

Mr. Helmcken moved that £10 be taken as the basis on which to place stamps on receipts. A stamp placed on a receipt for any less sum he considered would be highly obnoxious.

Mr. Franklin asked what the revenue derived from the stamps would amount to? and Mr. Cary replied about £2000. To several other questions bearing on the same subject, evasive answers were returned by the Attorney General.

Mr. Helmcken's amendment was carried: ayes, Cary, Trimble, Helmcken; noes, Harris, Franklin.

A number of other clauses were passed, with slight amendments, when the Committee rose and reported progress and the House adjourned until Wednesday, at 3 o'clock, p. m.

COMMERCIAL.—The Enterprise departed yesterday with a freight of 130 tons, destined for the Cariboo mines. Prices of general merchandize remain unchanged, but a drooping tendency is noticeable in staple articles. Gold bars sell ready at 1@1¼ per cent. premium, and brokers draw at par on San Francisco. The remittances from the mines, though still small, are sensibly growing. The stock of flour is not large, but considerable additions are expected in a few days from San Francisco, where articles of domestic produce have come down by the run, in consequence of abundant crops. Flour in this market still holds its head up, Golden Gate Brands ruling as high as $8 50@$9 per bbl.; other brands, at $7 50@8. A sale of Golden Gate (to arrive) was effected on Monday on private terms. Eastern bacon is selling at 16c per lb.; Oregon, 18c, and a fair supply; China Sugar, 8¼@8½c per lb; Crashed, Sugar, San Francisco Refinery, 14¼@15c per lb.; the stocks of Sandwich Island Sugar having been replenished by the arrival of the Toando on Monday, no price can be stated today. Beans, still high, with pinks and reds at 11c. and bayos at the old figure. Barley is selling at $1 75 per 100 lbs. No. 1 China Rice, 6@6¼c per lb.; Batavia, 6½c. Oats, 2¼@2½c. Wheat, 3@3½c. New Hay, $25 @$35 per ton, and drooping; old do., $45. Bran, $30 per ton. New Potatoes, 2½@2¾c per lb. The local consumption of all articles mentioned above is very large, and sale steady. The amount of goods forwarded weekly to British Columbia far exceeds this year the shipments of last season, notwithstanding the fact that the treasure received thus far in 1862 is considerably below that received up to a corresponding period in 1861.

A RELIEF.—What a feeling of relief was experienced by the meeting on Monday when it was announced by the chairman that none of the members of Assembly could be present and take part in the proceedings in consequence of pressing legislative duties; and how nicely everything progressed without them. There was a little sharp-shooting between three or four of the speakers, it is true; but the ground generally assumed was argumentative and rational, and the remarks, although somewhat pungent, and, in one or two instances; personal, were given and received with great good humor. Had the members appeared in a body, as it was at first feared they would, it is hard to say what would have been the result. Long speeches and petty wrangling are great bores at public meetings always, and we know three or four members of our Legislature who, if they could have secured the ears of half-a-dozen persons, would have talked till this time. Their absence proved a blessing to the public and the country. Their presence could hardly have failed in causing the meeting to break up without arriving at a practical result. As it was, everything came out well, and the Immigration Board is now an institution of the land.

ARRIVAL OF THE "ANDERSON."—The steamer Eliza Anderson, with 20 passengers and a large number of horses and cattle, arrived yesterday morning from the Sound, bringing Portland papers to the 2d inst. and a small Overland Mail and express.

GUNS DOUBLE-SHOTTED.—The Port Townsend people charge that the revenue cutter Shubrick, by order of Collector Smith, had her guns loaded with shells ready to open fire on the town in case any violence was offered to the Collector while ashore!

THE CHARTERED BANK.—The residence of Thos. Harris, Esq., at the corner of Government and Bastion streets, has been leased to the Chartered Bank, for the term of five years at a monthly rental of $250.

ORDERED HOME.—Capt. Chadwick and Lieuts. White and Merryman, of the revenue cutter Joe Lane, are ordered to Washington.

☞ H. M. ship Mutine arrived at San Francisco from the Mexican coast, on the 27th ult.

☞ The small-pox is at Salmon River.

SHIPPING A CREW.—The ship Lady Young shipped a crew at £4 a month per man.

☞ Thirty-four prisoners answered to roll-call at the jail yesterday.

☞ No Police Court was held yesterday in consequence of no arrests having been made.

THE "ENTERPRISE"—With 20 passengers and a good freight, left yesterday morning for New Westminster.

☞ The schooner Rebecca sailed for Stickeen River on Monday night with 13 passengers and five tons of freight.

CORRECTION.—In Mr. Bishop's card of yesterday, instead of "*inter ales*" read "*inter alia.*" The error was typographical.

☞ Capt. Nagle is spoken of as a candidate for Councillor in the James' Bay Ward, and Capt. Jeffrays for the Yates Street Ward. Both would make good officers.

CANING.—The hot weather stirred up the bile in the systems of two Olympian editors, last week, and they caned each other. Neither was much hurt.

OUTSIDE.—The ship Lady Young, laden with spars and lumber for Otago, New Zealand, is at anchor in the outer harbor and will sail to-day for her port of destination.

NOT PARTICULAR.—Mr. W. B. Smith, grocer, offers himself as a candidate for Councillor, for which ward he does not seem to care.

LARGE YIELD.—In fifty days the yield of Cunningham's celebrated claim, on Williams Creek, was $100,000—an average of $20,000, a day. This is authentic, and comes from a man who owns a share in an adjoining claim.

DEPARTURE OF THE "OTTER."—The steamer Otter, departed for Stickeen last evening with 100 tons of freight aboard, and 40 passengers. Among the freight was a quantity of building material, and several merchants were among the passengers. A few of the gold-seekers looked as if they might have "roughed it" before; but the majority appeared from their dress and general appearance to be late arrivals from England. They all seemed in good spirits, and received a "God speed" from the assembled crowd as the boat moved away.

FROM BENTINCK ARM.—The schooner Antelope arrived from Bentinck Arm last night. None of the goods have been carried above the Big Slide. Lieut. Palmer, C. B. Young, and Major Foster, have started on horseback for the mines. The first mentioned gentleman, it will be remembered, will lay out the line for a wagon road. A letter was received in town from a gentleman, who writes that himself and party were eleven days in going 45 miles. Small pox had broken out in the party, and six of the number were sick from its effects. A schooner is reported captured by Indians on the coast, and three men murdered. Hood's animals are 40 miles from the head of the Inlet, and his men are making the road as they proceed.

A TRIUMPH.—When you can't get a whole loaf of bread take a half, is a trite saying, and one that the opposers of the Stamp Act in the House of Assembly have borne in mind, and manœuvred upon successfully. When the odious Stamp Act was first introduced it was proposed to place a stamp duty on all receipts for sums exceeding $10. Yesterday in the House Mr. Cary moved to amend, increasing the amount to $25. The Speaker saw that his leader in the Assembly was disposed to yield the point, and proposed to fix the minimum sum at $50. The proposition was carried. This is a clear triumph for the opposers of the bill, and a concession, judging from the legislative antecedents of the major portion of the House, they had hardly dared to hope for. We live in hope that something may yet turn up to give the bill a *quietus* before it comes up for final passage; still, as we said at the beginning, "half a loaf is better than no bread," and we are accordingly thankful for what we have, thanking Providence that things are no worse.

Will not Stand.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—I shall be obliged by your permitting me to state in your newspaper that it is not my intention to offer myself to the electors as a candidate for the Mayoralty.

Your obedient servant,
GILBERT M. SPROAT,

VICTORIA, 5th August, 1862.

The Immigration Board Meeting

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—Your report of my statement with respect to the Blue Book is correct. I said that the letters in the *Times* simply gave facts, that there were passages in the Blue Book somewhat highly colored, which may have impressed readers too favorably as to the advantages offered by these Colonies. I did not rise as the advocate of Mr. Fraser nor as an assailant of the Government. I felt it my duty to defend the Colony from the thought that there had been a deliberate attempt on our part to entice immigrants to our shores, and while pleading for truth and progress I thought it not wrong to express a conviction that a closer union between the leading members of the Government and the merchants and traders of Victoria, on all public occasions, would tend largely to the best interests of the island. I feel sure that there are good times coming. I believe that the wise movement of the Attorney General for the settlement of Cowichan and the important meeting of yesterday for the establishment of an Immigration Board will, if followed up at once by diligent doings, tend very largely towards proving to many that Vancouver Island *is* an "Elysium," and that those who are not by nature and training fitted for Cariboo will find a happy and prosperous home in a land which, for climate and resources, is unsurpassed in the world.

H. P. WRIGHT.

Victoria, August 5th, 1862.

☞ It is rumored that Mr. George Peabody, of London, has made something like a million of dollars by buying American stocks at low prices in England and selling them here. The coincidence between Mr. Peadbody's operations and the bear articles in the London *Times* on American securities has attracted some attention.

Battle between the Lion and Gorilla

On the second day of the hunt, it being excessively warm and our party exceedingly thirsty, four of our attendants were sent out in different directions in pursuit of water while the rest of the party were to remain where they then were till their return, or til a reasonable time for their return had expired.

In about an hour one of the scouts came in and reported the discovery of a spring of water. One by one the other three returned, not having met with a similar success, and we all started in the direction indicated by the guide. As we approached the spot we were all startled by the appearance of a huge lion, evidently intent upon the same errand as ourselves.

Fearing an attack, our party hastily sought refuge among the branches of a large tree near at hand. From our position we could now see the spring, situated in the centre of a little valley, and the lion, as he forced a passage through the underbrush towards it.

At this moment our attention was called in an opposite direction, by the appearance of a huge brown creature, much resembling a human being in its formation and movements. Sometimes it walked erect and sometimes it was down, seemingly on all fours, the former position being maintained only while the creature was making its way through the thicket of the underbrush.

"The gorilla! the gorilla!" whispered the Prince, clutching at my elbow, for we were standing side by side, on the same limb.

The two beasts were approaching the spring from opposite directions; and it was evident from their now cautious movements that each understood the strength and ferocity of his opponent.

We now noticed for the first time that the gorilla was armed with a heavy club, which he employed to steady himself with while moving in an upright position. Whether either of them had seen us, we, of course, had no means of knowing. At all events, they were too much bent upon effecting defeat and chastisement to each other, to pay any great attention to us.

The lion was creeping slowly and cautiously forward, as though in the act of springing upon his adversary, while the gorilla, instead of retreating, still advanced, his head bent forward, and his long, white tushes glistening in the sun. He was a hideous looking brute; every expression of the diabolical face denoted ferocity and cunning. He was evidently prepared for the assault of the lion, and determined to make up in strategy what he might lack in strength.

Our little party watched their movements with the deepest interest, only hoping that the conflict might end in the destruction of both.

The combatants had now approached within twenty feet of each other, separated only by the spring. The lion had crouched down, and the gorilla stood erect, though slightly bent foward. The eyes of both beasts protruded from their heads, boding the direst mischief to each other. Suddenly the head of the lion dropped between his huge paws, and the next moment he made a flying leap at his adversary. With the rapidity of lightning the gorilla leaned aside and at the same instant dealt the lion a terrific blow over the head. This prompt and energetic reception seemed to stagger the king of beasts for a moment; but he soon recovered, and giving vent to a terrific roar, prepared to renew the attack. When he sprang the second time it was with the force of a cannon ball cleaving the air; but his movements were not so quick but the gorilla anticipated them, and springing ten feet in the air, came down on the lion's back with the agility of a monkey. Then rained the blows from his club thicker than hail, till the king of beasts quailed beneath them, and fairly bellowed with pain. But the gorilla still clung to his mane, and still repeated the terrific blows about the head and ears of his adversary, till you might have ssposed his skull had been beaten to a jelly. The lion roared and tore up the ground in his blind vengeance, while the gorilla yelled and screeched in triumph, still raining down his remorseless blows.

We now saw that the victory must be decided sooner or later, in favor of the more intelligent of the brutes; nor was it long before the lion commenced an inglorious retreat, with his supple adversary clinging to his back, and still screeching in his ears.

This scene was continued for about thirty rods, when the gorilla leaped off like a circus rider, dealing a tremendous blow over the lion's head at parting; and the discomfited beast ran bellowing off to hide his defeat and shame in the neighboring jungle.

It was not twenty rods from us where the closing scene was enacted, and as the gorilla turned his hideous visage full upon us, we could see triumph written as plainly therein as though the features had been those of a human, instead of a brute.

As the monster stood in this attitude, the Prince seized my carbine, and, taking deliberate aim, fired. The gorilla leaped fifteen feet in the air and fell to the ground, writhing in his death agony. He tore up the ground around him, and groaned, and "took on," till it almost seemed to me to be human in its attributes; and I began to question whether we had not almost committed a murder in destroying the beast.

We descended from the tree after the gorilla had ceased to struggle, and found that the slug had penetrated the lower extremity of the heart. The hight of the creature exceeded the tallest of our party by several inches, and girted nearly five feet under the arm-pits. It was covered with dingy brown hair, which looked as if it had been scorched in places by fire. Its muscular development was truly astonishing, indicating a degree of physical strength and endurance that would have set at naught the united power of a score of ordinary men. Its facial development was truly frightful, though bearing, after all, some slight resemblance to the human features.

In its death agony the face had become distorted into the most fiend-like hideousness, the fleshy portion of the jaws being drawn down, so that the frightful tushes were revealed at full length, being not less than four inches long and three-fourths of an inch in diameter near the jaw. It was the first gorilla I had seen, so that naturally its appearance was very strongly impressed upon my memory.—*Wide World.*

FANCIES OF MADMEN.—A late number of the *British Medical Critic and Psychological Journal* relates many instances of curious conceits in madmen, and among others the following: I saw in the asylum of Dr. Pressat a middle aged man, whom a reverse of fortune had rendered melancholic. For several years he had not spoken a word, and his sole occupation consisted in smelling and licking the walls of his room and the threshhold of the door sometimes for hours together. No one was able to explain the motives of actions so extravagant, and at the same time so painful to witness, and of which the frequency and duration had produced numerous deep impressions in the plaster walls of the chamber. I had already interrogated him several times during my visits, without success, as to his motives for such strange conduct, when one day, appearing not to observe him, I asked an attendant what caused the numerous dirty spots and holes in the wall.

To our great surprise the patient broke the long silence which he had kept up to that day, in order to reply: "Do you call these dirty spots and holes? Do you not see that they are Japan oranges? What delicious fruit, what odor, what admirable flavor!" Having said this he set himself to suck and lick with redoubled ardor. Thenceforward all was explained, and the poor man, whom till then I had pitied as the most miserable being, was, on the contrary, very happy, since most agreeable hallucinations of the senses of sight, smell, and taste, procured him continual enjoyment.

DIED.

In this city, August 5th, Charles David Holden, aged 5 years, son of Charles Holden, Esq., late of Downieville, Sierra county, California.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, Fort street, near Quadra, This Day, at 1½ P. M., or from the Congregational Church, Fort street, at 2 P. M.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

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To avoid the danger of running the Rapids passengers will be landed at that place, and a boat will be in readiness immediately above the Rapids to convey them to the landing at Craigflower.

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Leaving foot of Johnson street for Craigflower on Sunday, at 10 o'clock, 12 o'clock, 2 o'clock, and 4 o'clock.

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FARE—25 cents each way.

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To the Electors of the City of Victoria:

GENTLEMEN,—I beg to offer myself as a Candidate for the representation of Yates street Ward in your City of Victoria.

I have no personal ambition to gratify beyond so much as is involved in the sincere desire, as a citizen of Victoria, to benefit that City and the Colony at large.

If honored by your suffrages, I pledge my best exertions to promote the general interests of the community.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
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Victoria, V. I., 31st July, 1862. au2

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Vancouver's Island.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 9th June, 1862.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT instalments upon the land specified in the Schedule hereunder written are in arrears, and that if such instalments are not paid on or before the 11th day of August, at the Land Office, the respective lands in respect of which instalments are then due will on that day be absolutely forfeited, and that all land forfeited on that day will be put up at auction at the upset price of 4s 2d. an acre, on the 12th day of August, 1862, and disposed of to the highest bidder.

Notice is given to the holders of the undermentioned sections that so much of the instalments as may be required for the purpose will immediately after the payment of the same be applied in settling the claims made by the Indian Titles.

WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Name of Original Purchaser.	Amount due and Interest	Instalment on which same is due.	District.
	£ s. d.		
Peers, H. N.......	223 5 0	2nd	Somenos District R 1, sec. 5, 6, 7 R 2, " 5, 6, 7 R 3, " 5, 6, 7
Skinner, T. J......	250 0 0	2nd	Comiaken Dist. R 2, sec. 2, 3, 4 R 3, " 2,3,4,5,6 R 4, " 2, 3, 4
Worthington, H..	252 10 0	2nd	Somenos Dist. R6, s. 3, East'n hf R7, sec. 1, 3 R8, " 1, 2, 3 Quamichan Dist. R7, sec. 18,19, 20 R8, " 18,19, 20
Mayne, R. C......	25 0 0	2nd	Somenos Dist. R4, sec. 7
Allan, Lowe & Co	160 0 0	2nd	Somenos Dist. R4, sec 4, 5, 6 R5, " 4, 5, 6 R6, " 4
Bedwell, E. P......	25 0 0	2nd	Somenos Dist. R4, sec. 8
Stamp, E. & Co...	161 5 0	2nd	Comiaken Dist. R1, sec. 3,4 5 6,7,8 R2, " 2,6,7,8
Southgate, J. J...	168 0 0	2nd	Somenos Dist. R3, sec. 1, 2 R4, " 1, 2 Quamichan Dist. R3, s. 20 R4, " 20
Lyall, David......	160 0 0	2nd	Quamichan Dist. R7, sec. 10,11,12 R8, " 10,11,12
Brotchie, W......	24 10 0	2nd	Cowichan Dist. R1, sec. 14
Pidwell, J. T......	104 5 0	2nd	Cowichan Dist. R1, sec. 18,19,20 R2, " 17.18
Fraser, D.........	166 15 0	2nd	Cowichan Dist. R1, sec. 8,9,10 R2, " 8,9,10 R3, " 8,9,10
Martin, Abraham.	24 10 0	2nd	Cowichan Dist. R1, sec 13
Munroe, A........	36 0 0	2nd	Quamichan Dist. R7, s. 14,15,16,17
Rosening, —......	131 17 1	2nd	Cowichan Dist. R1, sec. 5,6,7 Somenos District R8, sec. 7,8,9
Graham, J. A.....	75 0 0	2nd	Cowichan Dist. R4, sec. 4,5,6,7

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Victoria, July 9th, 1862. ju9 1m

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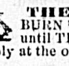

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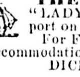

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